

**CITY OF TIGARD, OREGON**  
**TIGARD CITY COUNCIL**  
**RESOLUTION NO. 15- 24**

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE APPLICATION FOR A COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING SERVICES (COPS) GRANT TO HIRE A POLICE OFFICER, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCEPT THE GRANT IF AWARDED.

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WHEREAS, the Tigard Police Department has experienced recent staffing reductions and the City of Tigard has been unable to afford to add additional Police resources; and

WHEREAS, Tigard is unable to keep pace with the demand for services of a growing city by hiring additional staff to provide services; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tigard intends to apply for a Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) grant from the U.S. Department of Justice; and

WHEREAS, the grant would pay for up to \$125,000 of police salary and fringe benefit costs over a three year period; and

WHEREAS, award of the grant would obligate the city to create and fund an additional police officer position for at least four years.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tigard City Council that:

SECTION 1: City Council authorizes the COPS grant application.

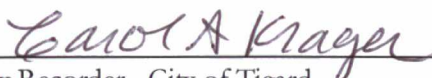
SECTION 2: City Council authorizes the City Manager to accept the COPS grant if it is awarded.

SECTION 3: This resolution is effective immediately upon passage.

PASSED: This 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 2015.

  
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Mayor - City of Tigard

ATTEST:

  
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City Recorder - City of Tigard

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